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# LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

After having to drop out of high school due to medical issues, I was lost and drifting with no direction. Finding the Prairie Light Review when I got to College Of DuPage helped me find myself again. Each of us is searching for something, and this issue's theme of hunger illustrates our universal need and desire for something beyond what we presently are or possess.

The line between deprivation and abundance is different for everyone and can be difficult to recognize at times. It is my sincere hope that this issue of the Prairie Light Review can encourage each reader to reflect upon the specific hungers they experience in their own life, and recognize what fulfills their needs and embrace that which nourishes their soul.

I have had many great gifts in my life, and among them has been my experience with the Prairie Light Review. As my time with the magazine, and at College of DuPage, comes to an end, I would like to express my gratitude to all the people with whom I have had the opportunity of working closely. To Advisors Jackie McGrath and Linda Elaine; to Chuck Steele, Mardi Roebuck, Shannon Hernandez, and Gaea Atta in the Office of Student Life; to Robyn Johnson in the News Bureau; and to every member of the editorial staff over the past two and a half years—thank you for helping me discover what nourishes my soul and teaching me so many valuable lessons every step of the way.

*Allison Anderson*  
*Editor in Chief*